# BIG CONVENTION WILL MEET HERE

Baptists Decide to Hold Session Next Year in This City.

NOTABLE CLOSING

Dr. Willingham to Visit Foreign Fields-Department of Evangelism to Be Started.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) CHATTANOGGA, TENN., May 14.—The CHATTANOGGA, TIPNN., May II.—The fast day of the Southern Baplist Convention was the best, At the morning session the great cause of foreign missions claimed the attention of the body. There were various reports on various planes of this work, and the addresses were all of high order.

One of the most interesting incidents of the morning was the introduction of a number of young men and women who are already under appointment to go to foreign fields. There were about twelve



REV. DR. R. J. WILLINGHAM.

secretary of the Foreign Mission Board of the Southern Baptist Convention, who has been signally honored by being invited to visit the mission fields of the board, particularly in the Far East, at the expense of the denomination.

of these. A number of returned missionnries were present and were presented
to the body. The report on items of
special interest in foreign missions was
read by Rev. George W. Truitt, of
Texas. It mentioned the large increase
in the number of baptisms, commended
the caution used in accepting members,
and expressed the hope that the debt
of \$30,000 might be a stimulus to the
churches to increase their gifts to this
great work. Rev. John Lowe, missionnry to China, made a burning appeal for
the work in that great kingdom. He was
followed by Rev. E. Z. Simmons, of Canton, who was greeted by the convention's rising en masse. Mr. Simmons
has been on the field thirty-six years.
He contented himself with a few words
of earnest greeting, and promised to,
speak later, fully.

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Dr. Willingham closed the discussion in a thrilling speech of ten minutes. At the conclusion of his address, he called on all the returned missionaries, and all under appointment to rise and stand. He then asked the young men and women who were willing to join that company of workers to stand. It was a thrilling and memorable scene. One after another rose, to the number of twenty-eight.

Baron Mexkuill, of Russia, with his wife, were then introduced to the body. The Baron is a Baptist preacher and is visiting this country in the interests of the Russian Baptist churches. He was dressed in his Russian costume. He made a very entertaining address telling of the trials and tribulations of the Baptists and Stundists in that country. The

and Stundists in that country. The cention adopted a resolution asking foreign board to consider the ex-ency of opening work in Russia.

# To Meet in Richmond.

the afternoon session the conven-adopted resolution strongly condemn

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The committee on time, place and preacher reported, recommending that the convention meet in Richmond on the Friday before the second Sunday in May, 1997, but providing that if by the 16th of January next, suitable rates at railroads and hotels, and suitable quarters for the convention, cannot be guaranteed to the satisfaction of the officers of the convention, and the boards, they shall have power to select some other place.

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It is so provided that if it is found that
the date as above fixed conflicts with the
naval display at Hampton Roads the secretaries have the right to change the
date. Dr. A. J. Dickinson, of Alabama,
was chosen to preach the annual sermon.

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and faithful service, to visit the mission fields of the board, especially in the Far East, at the expense of the board, Dr. A. J. Bouton read the report on woman's work, and followed it with a brief and carnest address. It was an-nounced that Mrs. John O. Rust had de-

nounced that Mrs. John O. Rust had de-clined the office of corresponding secre-tary of the Woman's Missionary Union, and that the matter has been left with the Executive Committee of the Union. The report of Committee on Credentials showed a total attendance of 1,452, the largest in the history of the body. A resolution offered by Rev. Weston Bru-ner, of Washington, was unanimously adopted expressing the deep sympathy of the convention with the Baptists of San Francisco and Oakland, and recom-San Francisco and Oakland, and recommending that a collection be taken ir every Southern Baptist Church to aid ir replacing the ruined houses of worship.

Department of Evangelism. Perhaps the highest point of interest in the meeting was reached this after-noon when the subject of evangelism was under discussion. The report instructs the home board to adopt a department of evangelism, to appoint a general gelist and associates, and to raise gellat and associates, and to raise 125,000 for this purpose. Dr. B. H. Carroll was the only speaker and made an address of marvelous power. Then, with entire unanimity, the report was adopted. This is regarded as the most important action taken by the convention during the past itemity-five years. A standing committee of five was propyided for which committee will receive invitations for the convention two years hence and tabulate information concerning the places which offer for the convention.

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On motion of Rev. George W. Truitt, of Texas, Rev. Dr. J. B. Hawthorne was requested to make an address to the convention next year on some subject to be chosen by him. At night there was a great mass-meeting in the interests of foreign missions, addressed by Revs. H. A. Griessmer, A. U. Boone, B. H. Dement and E. Z. Simmons. The convention then and E. Z. Simmons. The convention ther adojurned. R. H. P.

# **NEW STATEMENT**

their purpose, and should take their place in honorable superannuation. Some of you think that the word superannuation is unfortunate, used in this connection, but I learned the meaning of this word not in Webster's dictionary, but in a Methodist parsonage."

Victor for Dr. Tillett.

Dr. Tillett then stated that his father after a long life of usefulpess in the conference as an lilnerant preacher, was honorably superannuated by his brethren He also referred to the vote he cast in the Committee on Episcopacy to con-tinue in the superannuated relation Bishops O. P. Fitzserald and John C. Granbery, and in great earnestness ask-

Granbery, and in great earnestness asked:

"Does any one think I cast discredit upon these men, when I so voted? Neither do I cast discredit upon these articles of religion by referring to their honorable superannuation.

"I endorse Hishop Wilson's speech in almost every particular. I believe all the doctrines of Methodism and I call your attention to the fact that a joint commission of the Northern and Southers Methodist Churches was presided over by Hishop Wilson a few weeks ago that abridged the twenty-five articles of religion to eighteen for the Methodist Church of Japan, Had this restatement already been made the abridgement of these articles for the church of Japan would not have been necessary."

Immediately upon the conclusion of Dr. Tillett's speech, Dr. John H. McLean, of North Texas delegation, for the first time in the history of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, moved for a division of the house so that the electical

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Visit Foreign Fields.

A resolution was adopted inviting Dr. R. J. Willingham, in view of his long

# Tillett, and to-night he is being prominently and widely discussed in connection with the Episcopacy. How They Voted. The Virginia Conference delegation voted as follows on the resolution for a restatement of faith:

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The Virginia Conference delegation voted as follows on the resolution for a restatement of faith:

For the resolution—James Cannon, Jr. B. F. Lipscomb, J. C. Reed, W. J. Young, R. H. Bennett, J. W. Grandy, W. W. Smith, T. J. Basham, R. E. Blackwell.

Against—Paul W. Whitshead, R. T. Wilson, E. J. Mosely, P. E. Hines. The Baltimore Conference delegates voted as follows:

For—John A. Kern, H. P. Hamili., Against—Coilins Denny, F. J. Prettyman, J. A. Anderson, A. B. Pugh, T. T. Flahburn, M. T. Waiton, Chas. Armstrong, A. E. Huddleston.

The bishops in their meeting to-night appoluded Senior Bishop W. A. W. Wilson, chalirmon of their commission. They also appointed him to preach the ordination sermon at the consecration of the newly elected bishops next Bunday morning.

#### Invited to Richmond.

A memorial from the preachers' meeting of Richmond, Va., was presented to the conference inviting it to hold its next ses-sion there in 1910. Universal regret is expressed that Mr. John P. Branch could

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The committee on itineracy recommended non-concurrence in several memorials requesting jegislation authorizing and controlling conference evangelists. The committee on publishing interests recommended the adoption of resolutions that the conference re-affirm the action of the committee on publishing interests of the General Conference of 1922 with reference to the petition of the International Typographical Union, seeking to unionize the publishing house at Nashville, Tenn. The committee says it is not within its province to take action. The methorial looking to the removal of the headquarters of the extension board to Louisville from Oklahoma City was concurred in.

A telegram was read just before the close of the seasion from Vice-President Fairbanks stating that he would arrive in Birmingham Thursday night and remain in the city all day Friday. The meaning and the seasied of this would be satisfactory

in Birmingham Thursday light and long main in the city all day Friday. The measage asked if this would be satisfactory to the conference, and upon motion it was decided to hear from Mr. Fairbanks and Dr. W. S. Matthews, of Berkley, Cal., the fraternal delegates from the Methodist Episcopal Church, on Friday evening.

#### School Exhibit.

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Dr. J. G. Hammond and Dr. Lundy Harris, secretary and assistant secretary of the Board of Education of the church, have arranged a splendid exhibition of the educational work of the universities and colleges of the church. This exhibit is located in the Masonic Temple, and though only completed yesterday, it has already been visited, not only by hundreds of the delegates, but also by many of the residents and visitors to the city. In a general way, the exhibition is an exposition of the educational system of the schools under the control of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South. There are over thirty large schools represented, and the work of these fills entirely the four sides of the large hall.

First, the visitor's attention is invited to a large map of the United States, made in colors, showing the location of all the educational institutions of the church. Of course, Vanderbill University is the central figure. The map shows that the church has under its fostering care 186 schools and colleges. The institutions are classified as follows: One university, twenty colleges and 186 secondary schools and academies. The total income of all these schools, not including tuition, aggregates \$1,778,738 over the receipts of The institutions are located principally

The institutions are located principally in the Southern States. In fact, all are In the Central States—one each in Oregon, Montana and Washington, and the bulk of them are under the direct control of the Board of Education. The Vanderbilt University is represented by some magnificent views of its campus and buildings, and around these are grouped the exhibits of the other schools. The exhibit of the schools of the Randolph-Macon system of schools consists of a series of photographs of the various college buildings, the principal ones being the Woman's College, at Lynchburg, the college at Ashland and the two academies at Bedford City and Front Royal. There are also pictures of the institutes at Danville and Blackstone.

Dr. W. W. Smith is the chanceller of these schools. The system embraces thirty-four buildings, 100 teachers and 1,300 students.

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Dr. J. C. Kilgo, president of Trinity College, of Durham. N. C., has, perhaps, the most complete exhibit. The doctor is loyal to the flag, and he has floating

the most complete exhibit. The doctor is loyal to the flar, and he has floating above the main college building a large United States flag.

Another of the important institutions represented is the Scarriatt Bible and Training School, of Kansas City. The peculiar feature of this school is that it does not compete with either secular nor religious, schools. It is in a class all to itself. It is the one school for the training of deaconesses in the church.

The only foreign school represented is the Kwansel Gakwin, of Kobe, Japan. This exhibit consists of charts, drawings and paintings by the students. The school was founded in 1889, and it has thirteen teachers and 210 students. Its course of study is both academic and biblical, and has a library of 6,639 books, and the lotal expenses of a students for a years' tuition is only \$4.

# WISH TO CHANGE.

#### Local Methodist Preachers Oppose Removing Time Limit.

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The Methodist preachers' meeting yesterday had quite a lively discussion over the question of removing the time limit in the pastorate. The report of the Committee at the General Confrence at Birmingham, in favor of an extension of the time to six years, and the minerity report, favoring the removal of the limitation entirely, brought about the discussion.

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cussion.

The conservative element largely predominated and a resolution was adopted
urging the Virginia delegation to yet rot the maintenance of the present four-year

### Dr. Barnes Here.

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Dr. Thomas II. Barnes, the "Tall Sycamore of Nansemond," is in the city and is stopping at Murphy's.
Dr. Barnes is here to atted the meeting of the Board of Visitors of the Medical College of Virginia, of which he is a member and which meets to-day. He was warmly greeted by many old friends about the lobby last night.
Among other prominent visitors at Murphy's are Judge E. M. Fulton, of Wise; Judge A. A. Skeen, of Dickinson; Dr. L. B. Barham, of Surry, and Hon Pembroke Pettit, of Fulvanna.

Failed of Quorum. The Common Council, which was called to meet in special session last night to consider the Clark Spring property mat-ter, falled of a quorum. No further call

Small Blaze in a Kitchen. A small blaze in the kitchen in the rear of 708 North Second Street, was the nucleus of about two thousand fire devotees last night a few minutes before 11 o'clock. Engines No. 9 and 4 and Truck No. 1 responded to the alarm. The damage was slight and the dwelling was occupied by negroes.

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## WILL VISIT THE BATTLEFIELDS

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) PETERSBURG, VA., May 14.-Fou freight cars, louded with merchandise shiped by Petersburg merchants, were burned up yesterday on the Seaboard Air Line's "connecting link" with the Nor-folk and Western tracks, near the city.

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The fire is supposed to have been caused
by a spark from a passing engine on the
Norfolk and Western.

A large party of distinguished New
Yorkers, including Governor Higgins,
General Daniel Sickles and a number of
congressmen and members of the Legisiature are expected to come to Petersburg Thursday night, May 24th, to spend
Friday visiting the Civil War battlefields
around the city. The party will travel
in a special train and will be in charge
of A. J. Zabriskie, secretary and engineer of the Gettysburg and Chattanoga
Battlefield Commission. C. A. Clark, the
well known battlefield guide, will conduct
the visitors around the lines of the slege
of Petersburg. They will leave for Fredcricksburg Friday ovening.

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of Petersburg and vicinity held its regular monthly meeting at the Ettrick Baptist Church yesterday afternoon, wiPresident William Pilcher presiding. The

tist Church yesterday afternoon, with President William Pileher presiding. The April reports of the eight schools comprising the association showed a total register of 1,642 scholars; attendance, 1,380; collections, \$151.20.

Bishop A. M. Randolph, of the Episcopal Diocese of Southern Virginia, preached to a large congregation at Grace Church last evening and confirmed a class of twenty-nine persons.

The colored Baptist General Association of Virginia adjourned last evening after a most successful five days' meeting at the Ebenezer, Church. Visiting colored clergymen preached in all the colored Baptist churchs, yesterday.

The funeral of Mrs. Robert Michaels took place this afternoon. Mrs. Nanne on Pine Street.

The funeral of Mrs. Nannie H. I'Anson, wife of Dr. Richard I'Aanson, of Washington, took place this morning from St. Paul's Episcopal Church. Mrs. I'Anson was Miss Nannie Armistead, of this city. Her death occurred in Washington Saturday evening.

# CHURCH WILL BE

vacated the chair, which was occupied for the remainder of the time by Lieu-tenant-Governor Ellyson, of the Advis-

Relation to the Diocese.

Mr. Joseph Bryan made a short address to the association as to the object for which the meeting had been called. He which the meeting had been called. He said that in a meeting of the advisory board held last week he, as one of a committee appointed by the board, had drawn up in writing a statement which he would read to the association and which, he thought would fully explain the relations of the Southern diocese of Virginia to the church at Jamestown, and meet the wishes of all present. He then read the following paper: then read the following paper:

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"Whereas, the National Society of Colonial Dames of America has been granted by the Association for the Preservation of Virginia Antiquities leave to erect a memorial building, which is to stand over and embrace the foundations of the old church at Jamestown, is to be, as nearly as possible, a reproduction of that church, which, when completed, is to be turned over to the said association.

"The Association for the Preservation of Virginia Antiquities recognizing the historic connection of the Protestant Episcopal Church with the Church which formerly existed at Jamestown requests Right Rev. Alfred M. Randolph, Bishop of the Diocese of Southern Virginia, to consecrate said building with the following provisions:

"That the A. P. V. A. having the legal title to the said building or chapel, shall hold the same for the purpose for which it is consecrated that is to say, for divine worship and for the reception of memorials to persons who have advanced the glory of God and the good of humanity in this Commonwealth.

"That in respect to the use of the chapel it is earnesity hoped and desired that, Jamestown being the cradle of religious as well as civil life in Virgina, this spot and this chapel

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may become a sacred tie in the selligious life of our State and country, and be an influence drawing all Christian churciles together, especially those who took part in the colonial history of our Commonwealth, and they shall be welcomed to hold their own religious services from time to time therein.

"That arrangements for such services as may be had in the chapel shall be made with the Jamestown Committee of the A. P. V. A., or such other committee as the said association shall place in charge of the said chapel, in accordance with this statement as to its uses.

"That the A. P. V. A. shall continue to collect and receive the customary fees or contributions from the visitors to the church, except offerings made at the time of religious services, which shall then go to the church or denomination holding such services.

"That any furniture, ornaments or memorials which may be placed in said chapel shall be in accordance with its sacred character as a corectrand house of God, but the character and position of such objects shall always be subject to the approval of the said A. P. V. A.

"The A. P. V. A. will welcome the rection in the church of a memorial to the Rev. Robert Hunt, the first Christian minister in Virginia, subject, however, to the conditions of the preceding clause,"

Judge William W. Old, of Norfolk, moved that, in event of Bishop Randolph not being able to consecrate the church at Jamestown, other provision for its consecration should be made in the paper before it was voted on. After some discussion, the words, "or his successor," were inserted after Bishop Randolph's name in the second paragraph.

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Mr. Conway Sams, of the Norfolk A. P.
A. branch, said that he was much opposed to any building, whatever, being placed over the ruins of the Jamestown church. He thought the ruins the most valuable in America. He considered that permission, which had been given to the Coionial Dames at a partial, not general, meeting of the association, should be resclinded, and that whatever was done for the protection of the old Jamestown church foundations should be done by the A. P. V. A. alone. Mr. W. G. Stanard stated, in reply to Mr. Sams, that the proposition from the Dames to creek a building had been endersed by both the central committee and the general association of the A. P. V. A., meeting in June of 1801.

Mr. Sams reiterated his statement, and a lively discussion seemed immilient, when the chair ruled that Mr. Sams's

## Bishop Randolph's Views.

At this juncture, the
Rev. C. Braxton Bryan, of Petersburg,
stated that he wished to read a statement
from the Rt. Rev. A. M. Randolph,
bishop of the Southern Diocess of Virginia, who was provented by arrangements made for his visitations from being
present at the meeting. He said that Bishop
Randolph, had just been in Petersburg;
that the paper he held contained the
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The substance of the bishop's views may be stated as follows:

"The bishop, in regretting his absence on account of his Episcopal duties, said that we had neglected our monuments for two centuries, but, that the present generation was witnessing a revival of our duty to restore those that have partly survived decay and to honor those that remain. In foreign countries governments are doing the work which private societies have undertaken here; that the use of the property taken for public purposes may not be confined merely to material matters, but to the preservation of great historical traditions; that the governing principle in a society for the preservation of antiquities should surely be fidelity to historic verity; that to be dignified it must be truthful; that the final test to all people is the criterion of history. Heligious bodies may affect medieval dress, but a modern monk so-called cannot bring back the cloistered life of the middle agos, nor can be ignored in modern when we build or exhume his-

not bring back the cloistered life of the middle ages, nor can be ignored in modern time when we brilld or exhume historical monuments, the ideas and forms of olden times.

The bishop said that the colonists of Jamestown knew only the worship of the church of England and that church gave the first impression of Christian worship to the Anglo-Saxons in America; that, despite the ruin of the church at Jamestown it has no non-descript or doubtful historical association, and it is hardly possible that our brethren of the Protestant churches with a knowledge of the history of the church desire to discounts of the church desired to the desired to the

testant churches with a knowledge of the history of the church desire to disown its claim of identity with the Protestant Episcopal Church.

He said that from a sense of duty and from loyality to the truth of history, he desired to take under the care of his diocese the church at Jamestown and with the co-operation of the Association with the co-operation of the Association for the Preservation of Virginia Antiquities to minister to its needs and to open its doors to sister churchos who may from time to time express the wish to worship and preach the gospel and to administer the sacraments within its sacred walls." with the co-operation of the

## Proposition Accepted.

After rending the paper, Mr. Bryan said he would simply rest the matter there and let the vote be put, as to whether the proposition of the Southern Diocess, as embodied in the statement from the

as embodied in the statement from the Advisory Board and strengthened by the opinion of Bishop Randolph, should be accepted or rejected.

The Rev. Mr. W. A. R. Goodwin, rector of Bruton Church, Williamsburg, added a few words in support of what Mr. Braxton Bryan had said. Then the vote was taken and carried by the ayes, though members attering emphatic "nees" made themselves heard throughout both rooms.

on motion of Mr. Joseph Bryan, the meeting adjourned. Grant-Kelley Match.

Grant-Kelley Match.

In the nolice of the wrestiling match to be pulled off on May 21st between Jog Grant, of Baltimore, and Sallor Charlis Kelley, of Richmond, an error was made in yesterday's issue, which stated that the agreement is for Grant to throw Kelley twice in thirty minutes. The agreement is really that he throw the Richmond man twice in an hour.

The match is to be pulled off in Sanger Hall on the night of the 21st, and it is expected that a large crowd will be present to witness the first match of its kind that has been seen in Richmond within two years.

# OBITUARY.

Mrs. A. P. Montague,

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A telegram, received in this city yesterday from Mr. Walter Christian, clerk of the Hustings Court, announces the death in Birmingham. Ala., of his sister, Mrs. A. P. Montague, wife of the president of Howard College, in that city, Mr. Christian left for his sister's bedside several days ago.

Mrs. Montague was a daughter of the late Joseph Christian, for many years a member of the Supreme Court of Virginia. She had lived in Richmond prior to her marriage, about twenty years ago, and had many friends in this city.

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ters, including Rev. Mr. Thomas Haden, now and for several years, a missionary of the M. E. Church, South, to Japan, also, Mr. C. A. Haden, of Crozet, who for muny years was associated with him in business here.

business here.

All of Mrs. Haden's brothers and sisters attended the funeral, including Mrs. Beling (nee Miss Kate Landrum) and her brother, Mr. Landrum, of Houston, Texas. James R. Saunders.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

SUFFOLK, VA., May 14.—James R. Saunders, a prominent and well-liked farmer and merchant, died at his house in Nansemond county Saturday night. Mr. Saunders had been a sufferer for quite a long time and his death was not a surprise to friends and relatives, He was a son of the late Major James R. Saunders. He leaves a widow, a mother, three brothers, two sisters and three children.

The Virginia and Carolina Coast Railroad will run a special train from Suffolk to Saunders Tuesday in order that friends and relatives may attend the funeral. It will leave here at 2 P. M. and return immediately after the funeral. The funeral will take place at 3 o'clock Tuesday afternoon and will be conducted by Rev. H. Butler, assisted by Roys. W. V. Staley and G. Wilbur Shipley, all of whom are of Suffolk. The interment will be in the family cemetery.

Captain W. H. Elgin.

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
ST. LOUIS, MO., May 14.—The funeral
of Capt. W. H. Elgin, who studied under
"Stonewall" Jackson at the Virginia Milltary Institute, Lexington, Va., and later
fought under Jackson in the civil war,
was held quietly to-day. Burlat will be at
Fayette, Mo.
Captain Eigin died Saturday, aged
sixty-six, after an illness of two years.
Captain Eigin followed his profession,
that of civil engineering, in different
parts of the United States, having come
here four years ago from Clarksdale.
Miss, Street Commissioner, appointed
him as inspector in the latter department
and he held that position until his death.
He is survived by a widow.

### Mrs. C. M. Beasley.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

KEYSVILLE, VA., May 14.—Mrs. C. M.
Beasley died at her home near Keysville,
Va., at midnight last night and will be
buried at the Keysville Cemetery tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock.

Mrs. Beasley was Miss Evelyn R./
borne, of the distinguished Osborne famlity of this place. She was most accomlly of this place. She was most accomplished and useful in both social and replished and useful in both social and religious circles and will be greatly missed. She leaves her husband and an infact of eight days; one sister, Miss Pattie Osborne, and two brothers-C. A. Osborne, of Kevsyille, Va. and P. H. Osborne, of Norfolk, Va.

### Mrs. Mary Bates.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

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WINCHESTER, VA., May 14.—Mrs.

Mary Bates, wife of Samuel Bates, a
farmer, died yesterday at her home at
Stephen City, this county, aged sixtyfive. She had been an invalid for twenty
years and for eighteen years had not left
her bome. She is survived by her husband, two sons and three daughters,

### C. W. Ballou.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch,)
HOUNTON, VA., May 11.—Mr. C. W.
Ballou died at his home, near Houston,
yesterday after a lingering liness, aged
seventy-two years. He was a gallant
Confederate soddler in Wise's brigade. Ho
leaves a wife and
three children, a son
and two daughters,
and one sister.

### C. T. Lester.

(Special to The Times Dispatch.)
BRISTOL, VA., May 14.—Mr. C. T. Lester, a wealthy farmer of Wyndale, Va., near Bristol, died of paralysis Saturday, aged fifty-five. He is survived by his wife and several children. He was amoug the most popular men in the county. James H. Beemer.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
WINCHESTER, VA., May H.—James
H. Beemer, for thirty-five years identified
with the internal revenue service, died
Saturday at his home at Kernstown, this
county, after two years' illness, aged
sixty years. He had held positions at
Harrisonburg and Lynchburg and was
for several years chief cierk in the collector's office at Alexandria. His widow
and seven sisters survive.

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# George W. Robey.

C. J. Haden.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

CROZET, VA., May H.—The funeral services of Mr. Clifton J. Haden, whose death occurred at the Martha Jefferson Hospital, Charlottesville, Va., on the 10th instant, aged forty-seven, took place to day at 11:30 A. M., from the Methodist church, Crozet.

A very large number of people came to show their love for a universally popular man. The services were conducted by his pastor, Rev. W. E. Edwards, Jr. He is survived by his wide and child.

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#### DEATHS.

CLARK.—Died, at her residence, 613 Holly Street, at 5 o'clock P. M., May 14, 1905, Mrs. ANNIE F. CLARK, beloved wife of Richard F. Clark, in her thirty-fifth year. She leaves father, one brother, one sister to mourn their loss. Funeral from Pine-Street Baptist church TO-DAY (Tuesday) at 6 P. M. Newport News papers please copy.

DEAN.—Died, at Raleigh, N. C., at 6 A. M., May 14th, AZELLE WESLEY DEAN, son of W. H. and Fannie B. Dean, aged 1 year and 19 days. Interment in Oakwood Cemetery THIS (Tuesday), May 15th, Funeral services at the grave at 3:30 P. M.

FLEMING.—Died, yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock at the residence of Mr. Charles A. Rogge, 337 South Cherry Street, in the twenty-sixth year of his age, ROBERT EDWARD FLEMING. Mr. Fleming is survived by his mother and one brother.

Funeral notice later.

We miss thy kind and gentle hand, Thy tender, loving care; Home is dark without thee, We miss thee everywhere. Tis hard to break the slender cord When love has bound the heart, Tis hard, 'tis hard to speak the word We must forever part. M. A. R.

LAUBE.—Died. at her residence, I7 East Clay Street, May 14, 1908, Mrs. CATHA-RINE LAUBE, widow of Francis Laube and mother of late Joseph W. Laube, She is survived by the following children: H. F. Laube, Mrs. John Kain, Miss Kate A. Laube; Mrs. R. S. Griffin, of Washington, D. C.; Mrs. John H. Leonard, of West Hoboken, N. J., and Marcellus J. Laube, Funeral from St. Peter's Cathedral WEDNESDAY 10 A. M.

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